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GREEN TRANSPORT PROJECTS
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the manner in which Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission (JNNURM) is helpful in achieving an effective and improvised transport system in the States/Union Territories;

(b) whether the Government has launched Green Transport Projects in the country; and

(c) if so, the details and the estimated cost thereof alongwith the names of cities/towns selected thereunder?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI SAUGATA ROY)
(a): As per guidelines under Urban Infrastructure and Governance (UIG) of Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission(JnNURM), Urban Transport, including roads, highways /expressways/MRTS/metro projects is one of the admissible components for funding under UIG of JnNURM. The Central Government has formulated National Urban Transport Policy (NUTP) in April, 2006. It, inter-alia seeks to promote integrated land use and transport planning, greater use of public transport, non-motorized modes of transport, Intelligent Transport Systems and technological improvements.

(b) & (c): No such projects have been launched under the JnNURM.